

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
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Kiyoshi ANDO et al.)	Group Art Unit: 1644
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Serial No.: 10/510,627)	Examiner: Michail A. BELYAVSKYI
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Filed: June 20, 2005)	Confirmation No.: 4183
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For: METHOD OF JUDGING LEUKEMIA,)	
PRE-LEUKEMIA OR ALEUKEMIC)	
MALIGNANT BLOOD DISEASE AND)	
DIAGNOSTIC THEREFOR)	
)	

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

DECLARATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.801-1.809
REGARDING DEPOSIT OF BIOLOGICAL MATERIALS

I do hereby declare and state that:

1. On information and belief, the Applicants have, under the provisions of the Budapest Treaty, deposited viable cultures of the KM2142 hybridoma producing monoclonal KM2142 antibody, the KM2804 hybridoma producing monoclonal antibody KM2804, and the KM2945 hybridoma producing monoclonal antibody KM2945 at the International Patent Organism Depository (IPOD), National Institute of Advanced Industrial Science and Technology (AIST), AIST Tsukuba Central 6, 1-1, Higashi 1-Chome, Tsukuba-shi, Ibaraki-ken 305-8566, Japan, on February 26, 2002. The accession numbers for these deposits of hybridomas producing monoclonal

antibodies KM2142, KM2804, and KM2945 are FERM BP-7922, FERM BP-7923, and FERM BP-7924, respectively. Copies of the FERM BP-7922, FERM BP-7923, and FERM BP-7924 deposit receipts (both the Japanese form and the English translation) are attached as Appendix B.

2. On information and belief, the cultures were deposited under conditions which insure that access to the cultures will be available to persons determined by the Commissioner to be entitled thereto under 37 C.F.R. § 1.14 and 35 U.S.C. § 122.

3. Upon issuance of a patent on the above-identified patent application, or continuation applications thereof, any restriction as to the public availability of the deposits will be irrevocably removed, and the deposits will be replaced should the depository be unable to distribute a sample upon a proper request, during the enforceable life of the patent, or the period of five years after the last public request for the deposits, whichever period is longer.

4. The undersigned further declares that all statements made herein on their own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of this document or any patent issuing thereon.

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June 20, 2008


Masanori Hirota

APPENDIX B

BUDAPEST TREATY ON THE INTERNATIONAL RECOGNITION OF THE DEPOSIT OF MICROORGANISMS FOR THE PURPOSES OF PATENT PROCEDURE

〔 特許手続上の微生物の寄託の国際的承認
に関するブダペスト条約 〕

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1. 微生物の表示

(寄託者が付した識別のための表示)

KM2142

(受託番号)

FERM BP- 7922

2. 科学的性質及び分類学上の位置

1欄の微生物には、次の事項を記載した文書が添付されていた。

- 科学的性質
- 分類学上の位置

3. 受領及び受託

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4. 移管請求の受領

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5. 国際寄託当局

独立行政法人産業技術総合研究所 特許生物寄託センター

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Representative: Tadashi Hirata
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1. IDENTIFICATION OF MICROORGANISM	
Identification Reference Given by the Depositor: KM2142	Accession Number: FERM BP-7922
2. A SCIENTIFIC DESCRIPTION AND/ OR PROPOSED TAXONOMIC POSITION	
The microorganism identified under 1. above was accompanied by a document stating the following item(s). <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A Scientific Property <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Taxinomic Position	
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This International Depositary Authority accepts the microorganism identified under 1. above, which was received on February 26, 2002 (date of the original deposit).	
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KM2804

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